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SUBJ: MARKET RESEARCH TRAVEL BY A. ELIAS, BEWT/USDOC

REF : STATE 117298

1. EMBASSY WELCOMES ELIAS VISIT AND BELIEVES IT WILL BE VALUABLE. AS EMBOFFS PREVIOUSLY NOTED (DURING MURRIN VISIT), WE CANNOT GUARANTEE INTERVIEWS WITH CZECHOSLOVAK OFFICIALS BUT THINK VISIT WILL STILL BE WORTHWHILE EVEN IF HE CAN CONFER ONLY WITH EMBASSY PERSONNEL, WHICH WE HOPE WILL NOT BE THE CASE.

2. EMBASSY HAS INFORMED MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE OF VISIT AND REQUESTED THEIR COOPERATION. HOWEVER, IT IS TOO EARLY TO KNOW WHAT THEIR RESPONSE WILL BE.

3. RESERVATIONS MADE IN PRAGUE AT HOTEL SPLENDID, OVENECKA 33, PRAGUE 7, FOR JUNE 13-22. DAILY RATE IS 126 KCS (11.34 KCS - \$1 AT CURRENT EXCHANGE RATE). ELIAS CAN TRAVEL BY CAR TO BRATISLAVA JUNE 22 WITH EMBOFF. RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE AT GRAND HOTEL, PEZINOK, JUNE 22-JULY 1. PEZINOK ABOUT 15-20 KILOMETERS FROM BRATISLAVA, BUT INCHEBA CHEMICAL FAIR PRECLUDES ANY CLOSER HOTEL. RENTAL CAR HAS BEEN RESERVED FOR JUNE 23
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BRATISLAVA PICK-UP. RESERVATION IS FOR ONE-WEEK, UNLIMITED MILEAGE AND COST WILL BE APPROXIMATELY \$200 PLUS GASOLINE. ALL RESERVATIONS (INCLUDING RENTAL CAR) CAN BE ABBREVIATED OR LENGTHENED BUT SOME ADVANCE NOTICE IS REQUIRED.

4. EMBASSY WILL ADVISE AS APPOINTMENTS ARE CONFIRMED. ECONOMIC/COMMERCIAL OFFICER JAMES LEE WILL MEET IN PRAGUE JUNE 13

AND ACCOMPANY TO BRATISLAVA JUNE 22 IF ELIAS AGREES TO SCHEDULE
PARA 3 ABOVE.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: A) PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST IF PRAGUE/
BRATISLAVA SCHEDULE DESCRIBED PARA 3 IS ACCFATABLE.
B) SINCE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT PREPAYMENT FOR SLOVAK HOTEL
WILL BE REQUIRED, PLEASE PROVIDE FISCAL DATA ASAP.
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